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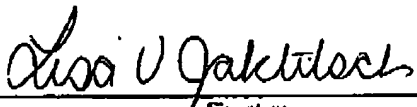
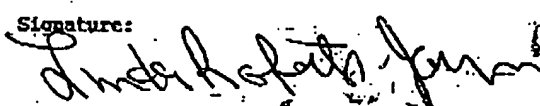
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Serial No.	10/604,056
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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>FIS920030024US1</b>	
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Invention: <b>METHOD FOR FORMING DAMASCENE STRUCTURE UTILIZING PLANARIZING MATERIAL COUPLED WITH DIFFUSION BARRIER MATERIAL</b>					
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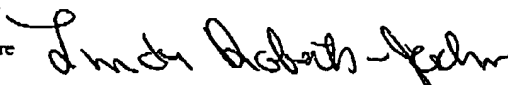
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**AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed September 12, 2005 and the Examiner Interview conducted on November 7, 2005, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following remarks into the file of the above-identified patent application.